

September 22, 2008

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7-16-45 BTR
Tribal Surface/Tribal Minerals
SWNE, Section 16-T4S-R5W
Duchesne County, Utah

Diana Mason, Permitting - Petroleum Technician:

Enclosed please find a copy of Bill Barrett Corporation's (BBC) application for permit to drill the above captioned well. Montgomery Archeological Consultants conducted a Class III archeological survey for this location and confirmed that "no historic properties affect" this location. The final report dated September 17, 2008 (MOCA Report No. 08-188) is enclosed. EIS Environmental and Engineering Consulting conducted a "Threatened, Endangered, Candidate, and Sensitive Species Habitat Delineation Survey" on August 8, 2008. No endangered species were identified in this survey. A copy of this report was submitted under a previous cover.

Please contact me at (303) 312-8546 if you need anything additional or have any questions.

Sincerely,

Reed Haddock Permit Analyst

1 Haddock

Enclosures

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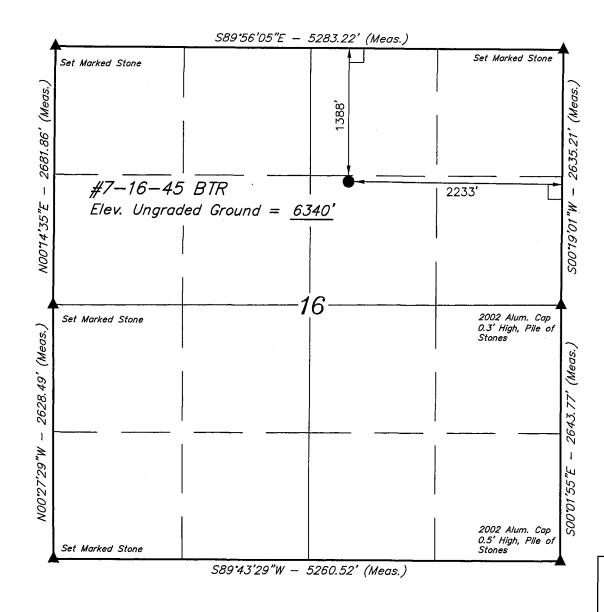
Form 3160-3 (August 2007)	_			OMB N	APPROVED No. 1004-0137 July 31, 2010	
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE	5. Lease Serial No. BIA-EDA-2OG000	15608				
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la. Type of work: DRILL REENTER				7. If Unit or CA Agr	eement, Name and I	No.
lb. Type of Well: Oil Well Gas Well Other	Single Zo	ne 🗸 Multi	ple Zone	8. Lease Name and # 7-16-45 BTR	Well No.	
Name of Operator Bill Barrett Corporation				9. API Well No. Pending 43.	V13-3717	~ 3
3a. Address 1099 18th Street, Suite 2300, Denver, CO 80202 3b. Phone No. (include area code) (303) 312-8546				Pending 43. 10. Field and Pool, or Alternet Und		1
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with an At surface 1388 FILL 2233 FEL SWNE At proposed prod. zone		40.136	518 53074	11. Sec., T. R. M. or I Sec. 16, T4S, R5V	Blk.and Survey or A	
14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office* Approximately 7.45 miles southwest of Duchesne, UT				12. County or Parish Duchesne	13. Stat	te
15. Distance from proposed* 1,318' FNL property or lease line, ft. (Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any)	16. No. of acres in I N/A	ease	17. Spacir 640	g Unit dedicated to this	well	
18. Distance from proposed location* 4,550' abandoned oil well to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft.	The state of the s		/BIA Bond No. on file vide Bond # WYB000040			
21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.) 6340' Ungraded Ground	22. Approximate date work will start* 01/15/2009		23. Estimated duration 45 days			
	24. Attachmen	ts				
The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onshor	re Oil and Gas Order N	lo.1, must be a	ttached to th	is form:	*	
 Well plat certified by a registered surveyor. A Drilling Plan. A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System SUPO must be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office). 	Lands, the 5. C 6. S	em 20 above). perator certifi Such other site	cation	ns unless covered by ar	J	·
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Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a cr States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as	rime for any person kr to any matter within its	owingly and v	vilifully to n	nake to any department	or agency of the Ur	nited

Federal Approval of this RECEIVED
Action is Necessary
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T4S, R5W, U.S.B.&M.



LEGEND:

__ = 90° SYMBOL

= PROPOSED WELL HEAD.

= SECTION CORNERS LOCATED.

(NAD 83)

LATITUDE = 40°08'11.54" (40.136539)

LONGITUDE = 110°27'13.63" (110.453786)

(NAD 27)

LATITUDE = 40°08'11.69" (40.136581)

LONGITUDE = 110°27'11.07" (110.453075)

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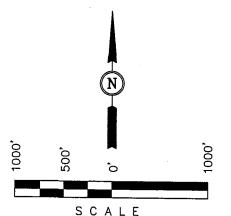
Well location, #7-16-45 BTR, located as shown in the SW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 16, T4S, R5W, U.S.B.&M., Duchesne County, Utah.

BASIS OF ELEVATION

BENCH MARK (M67) LOCATED IN THE SW 1/4 OF SECTION 9, T5S, R4W, U.S.B.&M., TAKEN FROM THE DUCHESNE SE QUADRANGLE, UTAH, DUCHESNE COUNTY, 7.5 MINUTE QUAD. (TOPOGRAPHIC MAP) PUBLISHED BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, GEOLOGICAL SURVEY. SAID ELEVATION IS MARKED ON CAP AS BEING 6097 FEET.

BASIS OF BEARINGS

BASIS OF BEARINGS IS A G.P.S. OBSERVATION.



CERTIFICATE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE PLAT WAS PREPARED FROM FIELD NOTES OF ACTUAL SURVEYS MADE BY THE WAY SUPERVISION AND THAT THE SAME ARE THE FILL APPROXIMATE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF

UINTAH ENGINEERING 8 85 SOUTH 200 EAST -

& LEOF UDA WAYING - VERNAL, UTAH 84078

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SCALE 1" = 1000'	DATE SURVEYED: DATE DRAWN: 08-06-08 08-14-08
D.R. A.H. C.H.	REFERENCES G.L.O. PLAT
WEATHER WARM	FILE BILL BARRETT CORPORATION



October 1, 2008

Ms. Diana Mason – Petroleum Technician STATE OF UTAH DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING 1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210 P. O. Box 145801 Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801

Re: Exception Location - #7-16-45 BTR - Blacktail Ridge Area

Surface Location: 2,233' FEL, 1,388' FNL, SWNE, Section 16-T4S-R5W

Duchesne County, Utah

Dear Ms. Mason,

Bill Barrett Corporation ("BBC") hereby submits an exception location letter in accordance with Oil & Gas Conservation Rules R649-3-3, requesting an exception well location, supported by the following information:

- The location is within our Blacktail Ridge Area.
- The exception location is due to topography requirements and to minimize surface disturbance.
- BBC certifies it is the working interest owner along with Ute Energy, LLC (who also consents to this exception location request) and together we own 100% of the working interest within 460 feet of the proposed well location.
- Our rights are owned under an Exploration and Development Agreement with the Ute Indian Tribe and Ute Distribution Corporation which provides for the drilling of exploratory wells. This agreement provides that we consult with these owners regarding the drilling of this well.

Based on the information provided, BBC requests the Division grant this exception to the locating and siting requirements of R649-3-2. Should you have any questions or need further information, please contact me at 303-312-8129.

Sincerely,

Doug Gundry-White

Senior Landman

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HAZARDOUS MATERIAL DECLARATION

WELL NO. # 7-16-45 BTR - LEASE NO. BIA-EDA-2OG0005608

Bill Barrett Corporation guarantees that during the drilling and completion of the above referenced well, we will not use, produce, or store, transport or dispose 10,000# annually of any of the hazardous chemicals contained in the Environmental Protection Agency's consolidated list of chemicals subject to reporting under Title III Super Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) of 1986.

Bill Barrett Corporation guarantees that during the drilling and completion of the above referenced well, we will use, produce, store, transport, or dispose less than the threshold planning quantity (TPQ) of any extremely hazardous substances as defined in 40 CFR 355.

DRILLING PLAN

BILL BARRETT CORPORATION # 7-16-45 BTR

SHL: SW/4 NE/4, 1388' FNL & 2233' FEL, Section 16-T4S-R5W BHL: SW/4 NE/4, 1388' FNL & 2233' FEL, Section 16-T4S-R5W

Surface Owner: Tribal Duchesne County, Utah

1 - 3. <u>Estimated Tops of Geological Markers and Formations Expected to Contain Water, Oil and Gas and Other Minerals</u>

<u>Formation</u>	Depth – MD
Green River	2,844'
Douglas Creek	5,570'
Black Shale	6,416'
Castle Peak	6,642'
Wasatch	7,182' *
TD	8,689'

^{*}PROSPECTIVE PAY

The Wasatch and the North Horn are primary objectives for oil/gas.

4. <u>Casing Program</u>

A) Planned Program

Hole Size	SETTING (FROM)	G DEPTH (TO)	<u>Casing</u> <u>Size</u>	<u>Casing</u> <u>Weight</u>	Casing Grade	<u>Thread</u>	Condition
12 ½"	surface	2,000'	9 5/8"	36#	J or K 55	ST&C	New
8 3/4"	surface	TD	5 ½"	17#	P-110	LT&C	New

For any liner ran BBC intends to have a minimum of 200' of liner overlap.

5. <u>Cementing Program</u> A) Planned Program

9 5/8" Surface Casing	Approximately 470 sx Halliburton Light Premium with additives mixed at 12.7 ppg (yield = 1.82 ft ³ /sx) circulated to surface with 75% excess. Approximately 230 sx Halliburton Premium Plus cement with additives mixed at 15.8 ppg (yield = 1.20 ft ³ /sx).
5 1/2" Production Casing	Approximately 380 sx Halliburton Hi-Fill Modified cement with additives mixed at 10.7 ppg (yield = 2.92 ft ³ /sx). Approximately 250 sx Halliburton Tuned Light RS-1 cement with additives mixed at 11.5 ppg (yield = 3.21 ft ³ /sx). Top of cement to be determined by log and sample evaluation; estimated TOC 2,000'.

6. Mud Program

Interval	Weight	Viscosity	Fluid Loss (API filtrate)	<u>Remarks</u>
40'-2,000'	8.3 – 8.8	26 – 36	NC	Freshwater Spud Mud Fluid System
3,000' – TD	8.6 – 9.2	42-52	20 cc or less	DAP Polymer Fluid System

Note: Sufficient mud materials to maintain mud properties, control lost circulation and to contain "kicks" will be available at wellsite. BBC may require minor amounts of diesel to be added to its fluid system in order to reduce torque and drag.

7. BOP and Pressure Containment Data

Depth Intervals	BOP Equipment
0-2,000'	No pressure control required
2,000' – TD	11" 5000# Ram Type BOP
	11" 5000# Annular BOP
- Drilling spool to	accommodate choke and kill lines;
- Ancillary and cho	ke manifold to be rated @ 5000 psi;
- Ancillary equipm	ent and choke manifold rated at 7,500 psi. All BOP and BOPE tests will be in
accordance with t	he requirements of onshore Order No. 2;
- The BLM and the	State of Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining will be notified 24 hours in
advance of all Bo	OP pressure tests.
- BOP hand wheels	s may be underneath the sub-structure of the rig if the drilling rig used is set up
	efficiently in this manner.

8. Auxiliary Equipment

- a) Upper kelly cock; lower Kelly cock will be installed while drilling
- b) Inside BOP or stab-in valve (available on rig floor)
- c) Safety valve(s) and subs to fit all string connections in use
- d) Mud monitoring will be visually observed

9. Testing, Logging and Core Programs

Cores	None anticipated;
Testing	None anticipated; drill stem tests may be run on shows of interest;
Sampling	30' to 50' samples; surface casing to TD. Preserve samples all show intervals;
Surveys	MWD as needed to land wellbore;
Logging	DIL-GR-SP, FDC-CNL-GR-CALIPER-Pe-Microlog, Sonic-GR (all TD to surface).
	FMI & Sonic Scanner to be run at geologist's discretion.

If BBC pursues the "Alternate" program, a suite of the above logs will be run on both the intermediate and production hole sections.

10. Anticipated Abnormal Pressures or Temperatures

No abnormal pressures or temperatures or other hazards are anticipated.

Maximum anticipated bottom hole pressure equals approximately 4157 psi* and maximum anticipated surface pressure equals approximately 2245 psi** (bottom hole pressure minus the pressure of a partially evacuated hole calculated at 0.22 psi/foot).

*Max Mud Wt x 0.052 x TD = A (bottom hole pressure)

11. Location and Type of Water Supply

Water for the drilling and completion will be trucked from the Duchesne City Culinary Water Dock located in Sec. 1, T4S, R5W.

12. Drilling Schedule

Location Construction:

Approximately November 15, 2008

Spud:

Approximately January 15, 2009

Duration:

30 days drilling time 45 days completion time

^{**}Maximum surface pressure = $A - (0.22 \times TD)$

7-16-45 BTR Proposed Cementing Program

Job Recommendation		Su	rface Casing
Lead Cement - (1500' - 0')			
Halliburton Light Premium	Fluid Weight:	12.7	lbm/gal
1.0% Calcium Chloride	Slurry Yield:	1.82	ft ³ /sk
0.125 lbm/sk Ploy-E-Flake	Total Mixing Fluid:	9.72	Gal/sk
	Top of Fluid:	0'	
	Calculated Fill:	1,500'	
	Volume:	146.41	bbl
	Proposed Sacks:	470	sks
Tail Cement - (TD - 1500')			
Premium Cement	Fluid Weight:	15.8	lbm/gal
2.0% Calcium Chloride	Slurry Yield:	1.20	ft ³ /sk
0.125 lbm/sk Ploy-E-Flake	Total Mixing Fluid:	5.238	Gal/sk
	Top of Fluid:	1,500'	
	Calculated Fill:	500'	
	Volume:	48.80	bbl
	Proposed Sacks:	230	sks

Job Recommendation		Produc	tion Casing
Lead Cement - (5916' - 2000')			
Halliburton Hi-Fill Modified	Fluid Weight:	10.7	lbm/gal
0.2% HR-5	Slurry Yield:	2.92	ft ³ /sk
0.25 lbm/sk Poly-E-Flake	Total Mixing Fluid:	17.26	Gal/sk
5.0 lbm/sk Gilsonite	Top of Fluid:	2,000'	
	Calculated Fill:	3,916'	
	Volume:	193.78	bbl
	Proposed Sacks:	380	sks
Tail Cement - (8689' - 5916')			
Halliburton Tuned Light RS-1	Fluid Weight:	11.5	lbm/gal
0.2% Super CBL	Slurry Yield:	3.21	ft ³ /sk
0.2% HR-5	Total Mixing Fluid:	18.56	Gal/sk
	Top of Fluid:	5,916'	
	Calculated Fill:	2,773'	
	Volume:	137.23	bbl
	Proposed Sacks:	250	sks

Well name:

BTR General

Operator:

Bill Barrett Corporation

String type:

Surface

Design is based on evacuated pipe.

Location:

Duchesne County, UT

Design parameters:

Collapse

Mud weight:

8.90 ppg

Minimum design factors:

Collapse:

Design factor

1.125

Environment:

H2S considered?

Surface temperature:

No 70.00 °F

Bottom hole temperature: Temperature gradient:

94 °F 1.22 °F/100ft

Minimum section length:

1,500 ft

Burst:

Design factor

1.00

1.80 (J)

Cement top:

Surface

<u>Burst</u>

Max anticipated surface

No backup mud specified.

pressure:

911 psi

Internal gradient: Calculated BHP

0.22 psi/ft 1,351 psi

Tension:

8 Round STC: 8 Round LTC:

1.80 (J) 1.80 (J) **Buttress:**

Premium: 1.80 (J) Body yield: 1.80 (B)

Tension is based on buoyed weight. Neutral point: 1,737 ft Non-directional string.

Re subsequent strings:

Next setting depth: Next mud weight: Next setting BHP: Fracture mud wt:

9,500 ft 10.600 ppg 5,231 psi 13.000 ppg 2,000 ft

1,351 psi

Fracture depth: Injection pressure

Run Seq	Segment Length (ft)	Size (in)	Nominal Weight (lbs/ft)	Grade	End Finish	True Vert Depth (ft)	Measured Depth (ft)	Drift Diameter (in)	Internal Capacity (ft³)
1	2000	9.625	36.00	J- 55	ST&C	2000	2000	8.796	142.4
Run Seq	Collapse Load (psi)	Collapse Strength (psi)	Collapse Design Factor	Burst Load (psi)	Burst Strength (psi)	Burst Design Factor	Tension Load (Kips)	Tension Strength (Kips)	Tension Design Factor
1	925	2020	2.185	1351	3520	2.61	63	394	6.30 J

Prepared Dominic Spencer by: Bill Barrett

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Date: September 2,2008 Denver, Colorado

Remarks:

Collapse is based on a vertical depth of 2000 ft, a mud weight of 8.9 ppg The casing is considered to be evacuated for collapse purposes. Collapse strength is based on the Westcott, Dunlop & Kemler method of biaxial correction for tension.

Burst strength is not adjusted for tension.

Well name:

BTR General

Operator:

Bill Barrett Corporation

String type:

Production

Location:

Mud weight:

Duchesne County, UT

Design parameters:

Collapse

Design is based on evacuated pipe.

Minimum design factors:

Collapse:

Design factor

1.125

Environment:

H2S considered?

Surface temperature: Bottom hole temperature:

1.22 °F/100ft Temperature gradient:

1,500 ft

Minimum section length:

186 °F

No

70.00 °F

Burst:

Design factor

1.00

1.80 (J)

1.80 (J)

Cement top:

2,000 ft

Burst

Max anticipated surface

pressure:

3,141 psi

10.60 ppg

Internal gradient:

0.22 psi/ft

Calculated BHP 5,231 psi

No backup mud specified.

Tension:

8 Round STC: 8 Round LTC:

1.80 (J) Buttress: 1.80 (J) Premium: 1.80 (B)

Body yield:

Tension is based on buoyed weight. Neutral point:

1.430

7,973 ft

Non-directional string.

Drift Run Segment Nominal End True Vert Measured Internal Depth Depth Diameter Capacity Seq Length Size Weight Grade Finish (ft³) (lbs/ft) (ft) (in) (ft) (in) (ft) 1 9500 P-110 LT&C 9500 9500 4.767 327.4 5.5 17.00 Run Collapse Collapse Collapse **Burst** Burst Burst Tension Tension Tension Design Design Load Strength Seq Load Strength Design Strength Load Factor (psi) Factor (Kips) (Kips) Factor (psi) (psi) (psi)

10640

2.03

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Date: September 2,2008 Denver, Colorado

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3.28 J

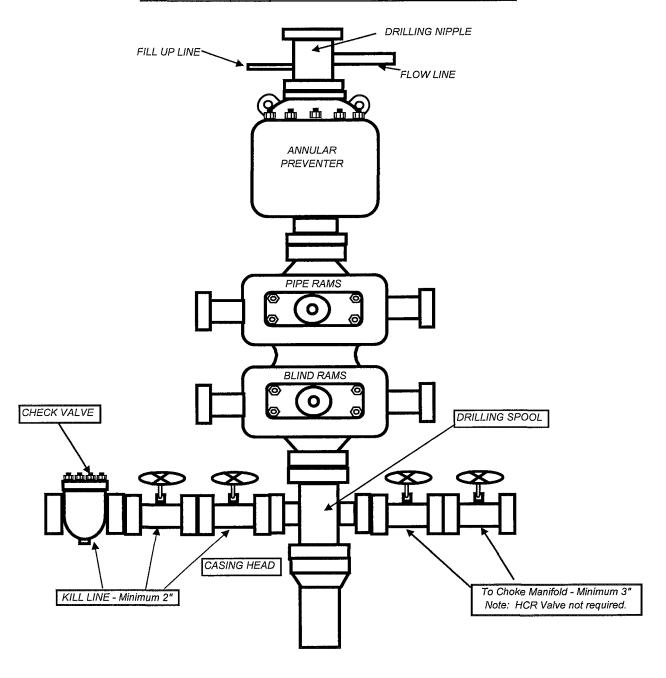
Remarks:

Collapse is based on a vertical depth of 9500 ft, a mud weight of 10.6 ppg The casing is considered to be evacuated for collapse purposes. Collapse strength is based on the Westcott, Dunlop & Kemler method of biaxial correction for tension.

Burst strength is not adjusted for tension.

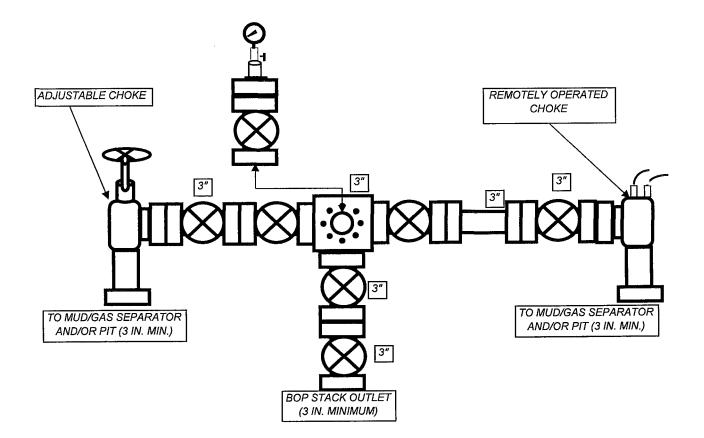
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TYPICAL 5,000 p.s.i. BLOWOUT PREVENTER



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TYPICAL 5,000 p.s.i. CHOKE MANIFOLD



Surface Use Plan for Bill Barrett Corporation's Development Program Black Tail Ridge Area Duchesne County, Utah

1. Existing Roads:

The Black Tail Ridge Areas are located approximately 12 miles Southwest of Duchesne, Utah and extend from Township 3 South, Range 5 West, Range 6 West, and Range 7 West and the North ½ of Township 4 South, Range 5 West, Range 6 West, and Range 7 West. The specific location of a particular well pad will be shown on maps and described in the site specific APD.

The use of state and county roads under UDOT and Duchesne County Road Department maintenance is necessary to access the Project Area. Improvements to existing access roads will be noted in the site specific APD's.

2. Planned Access Roads:

Descriptions of the individual access road(s) will be included in the site specific APD and ROW application.

Surface disturbance and vehicular traffic will be limited to the approved location and approved access route. Any additional area needed will be approved in advance with the UDWR.

3. Location of Existing Wells With-In A One-Mile Radius

Water wells – None. Abandoned wells – (1) - NW1/4, Section 9, T4S, R5W. Temporarily abandoned wells – None. Disposal wells – None. Drilling wells – None. Producing wells – None.

4. <u>Location of Tank Batteries, Production Facilities, and Production Gathering</u> And Service Lines:

The following guidelines will apply if the well is productive:

All permanent (on site for six months or longer) structures constructed or installed will conform to DOGM standards. All facilities will be painted within six months of installation.

A containment dike will be constructed completely around production facilities which contain fluids (i.e., production tanks, produced water tanks). This dike will be constructed of compacted subsoil, be impervious, and hold a minimum of

110% of the capacity of the largest tank. Topsoil will not be used for the construction of dike(s).

A description of the proposed pipeline and a map illustrating the proposed route will be submitted with the well site specific APD.

5. <u>Location</u> and Type of Water Supply

The Duchesne City Culinary Water Dock located in section 1, T4S-R5W will be used for water supply for drilling and completion operations. Additional water supply sources will be addressed in the site specific APD, indicating the location and type of water supply.

6. Source of Construction Materials:

All construction materials for this location site and access road shall be borrowed (local) material accumulated during construction of the location site and access road. No construction materials will be removed from UDWR lands. If any gravel is used, it will be obtained from an approved gravel pit.

7. <u>Methods of Handling Waste Materials:</u>

Drill cuttings will be contained and buried in the reserve pit.

Drilling fluids, including any salts and chemicals, will be contained in the reserve pit. Upon termination of drilling and completion operations, the liquid contents of the reserve pit will be used at the next drill site or will be removed and disposed of at an approved waste disposal facility within 180 days after drilling is terminated. Immediately upon well completion, any hydrocarbons in the pit shall be removed.

Unless otherwise specified in the site specific APD, the reserve pit will be constructed on the location and will not be located within natural drainages, where a flood hazard exists or surface runoff will destroy or damage the pit walls. The reserve pit will be constructed so that it will not allow discharge of liquids.

If it is determined, at the onsite, that a pit liner is necessary, the reserve pit will be lined with a synthetic reinforced liner a minimum of 12-millimeters thick. The liner will overlay a felt-liner pad if rock that might tear or puncture the liner is encountered during excavation. The liner will overlap the pit walls and be covered with dirt and/or rocks to hold it in place. Trash, scrap pipe, etc. that could puncture the liner will not be disposed of in the pit. Pit walls will be sloped no greater than 2:1. A minimum 2-foot freeboard will be maintained in the pit at all times during the drilling and completion operations. The pit liner will be protected during drilling and completion operations.

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No water well will be drill on this lease. Water for the drilling and completion will be trucked from the Duchesne City Culinary Water Dock located in Sec. 1, T4S, R5W. The trucked water will follow the access route described in the plat package of each APD. Production fluids will be contained in leak-proof tanks. All production fluids will be sold, recycled, or disposed of at approved disposal sites.

Any spills of oil, gas, salt water, or other noxious fluids will be immediately cleaned up and removed to an approved disposal site.

A chemical self-contained sanitary-toilet will be onsite during drilling and completions.

Garbage, trash, and other waste materials will be collected in a portable, selfcontained, fully enclosed trash cage during operations. Trash will not be burned on location.

All debris and other waste materials not contained in the trash cage will be cleaned up and removed from the location immediately after removal of the drilling rig.

Any open pits will be fenced during the operations. The reserve pit fencing will be on three sides before drilling operations start. The fourth side will be fenced as soon as drilling is completed and the rig is removed. The fencing will be maintained until such time as the pits are backfilled.

8. Ancillary Facilities:

Garbage containers and portable toilets are the only ancillary facilities proposed. No additional ancillary facilities are foreseen in the future.

9. Wellsite Layout:

A Location Layout Diagram describing drill pad cross-sections, cuts and fills, and locations of mud tanks, reserve pit, flare pit, pipe racks, trailer parking, spoil dirt stockpile(s), and the surface materials stockpile(s) will be included with the site specific APD and developed through a consultant.

10. Plans for Restoration of the Surface:

The dirt contractor will be provided with an approved copy of the surface use plan and these Standard Operating Procedures prior to commencing construction activities.

Immediately upon well completion, the location and surrounding area will be cleared of all unused tubing, materials, trash, and debris not required for production. All reclamation standards will be developed between Bill Barrett Corporation (BBC) and UDWR. Abandoned well sites, roads, and other disturbed

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areas will be restored as near as practical to their original condition. Where applicable, these conditions may include the re-establishment of irrigation systems, the re-establishment of appropriate soil conditions, and the re-establishment of vegetation as specified.

All disturbed areas will be recontoured to the approximate natural contours.

Any drainage rerouted during the construction activities shall be restored as near as possible to its original line of flow.

Prior to backfilling the reserve pit, the fence surrounding the reserve pit will be removed. The pit liner will be cut off at the water or mud line and disposed of at an approved landfill site. The remaining liner will be torn and perforated after the pit dries and prior to backfilling the reserve pit.

Before any dirt work associated with reserve pit restoration takes place, the reserve pit shall be as dry as possible. All debris in it will be removed. Other waste and spoil materials will be disposed of immediately upon completion of operations. The reserve pit will be reclaimed within 180 days from the date of well completion, weather permitting, unless it is determined that this location will be utilized to drill additional wells within 1 year of completing operations.

After the reserve pit has been reclaimed, diversion ditches and water bars will be used to divert precipitation runon/runoff as appropriate.

Prior to the construction of the location, the top 6 inches or maximum available topsoil material will be stripped and stockpiled. Placement of the topsoil will be noted on the location plat attached to the site specific APD. Topsoil shall be stockpiled separately from subsoil materials. Topsoil salvaged from the reserve pit shall be stockpiled separately near the reserve pit. When all drilling and completion activities have been completed, the unused portion of the location (area outside the deadmen) will be recontoured and the stockpiled topsoil spread over the area.

If topsoil must be stored for more than one year:

It shall be windrowed on the uphill side of the location to prevent any possible contamination. All topsoil will be stockpiled for reclamation in such a way as to prevent soil loss and contamination.

It shall be broadcast seeded with the prescribed seed mixture immediately after windrowing. Seed will be drilled on the contour to an appropriate depth and the stockpile then "walked" with a dozer to cover the seed and roughen the soil to prevent erosion.

Mulching may be considered to enhance the re-establishment of desired native plant communities. If straw or hay mulch is used, the straw and hay must be certified to be weed-free and the documentation submitted prior to usage.

When restoration activities have been completed, the location site and new access road cuts and shoulders shall be reseeded. Prior to reseeding, all disturbed areas, including the old access road will be scarified and left with a rough surface.

UDWR shall be contacted for the required seed mixture. Seed will be drilled on the contour to an appropriate depth. If broadcast seeded, the amount of seed mixture per acre will be doubled, and a harrow or some other implement will be dragged over the seeded area to assure coverage of the seeds.

At final abandonment, BBC will follow UT-DOGM standards for final well abandonment.

11. Surface Ownership

The well location and proposed access road route is located on The Ute Indian Tribe surface estate.

I hereby certify that Bill Barrett Corporation has reached an agreement with The Ute Indian Tribe for the protection of surface resources and reclamation of disturbed areas and/or damages in lieu thereof.

Date

Reed Haddock - Permit Analyst

Bill Barrett Corporation



The operator is fully responsible for the actions of its subcontractors. A copy of these conditions will be furnished to the BBC field representative to ensure compliance.

The operator will control noxious weeds along applied access road authorizations, pipeline route authorizations, well sites or other applicable facilities

Wells drilled during the fire season (June – October) all appropriate precautions shall be instituted to ensure that fire hazard is minimized, including, but not limited to, controlling vegetation and keeping fire fighting equipment readily available during all drilling and completion operations.

Drilling rigs and/or equipment used during drilling operations on locations will not be stacked or stored on UDWR administered lands after the conclusion of drilling operations or at any other time without permission by the UDWR. If UDWR permission is obtained, such storage will only be temporary measure.

Travel will be restricted to approved travel routes.

OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

This drilling permit will be valid for a period of two (2) years from the date of approval. After permit termination, a new application will be filed for approval for any future operations.

I hereby certify that I, or persons under my direct supervision, have inspected the proposed drill site and access route; that I am familiar with the conditions which currently exist; that the statements made in this plan are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and that the work associated with operations proposed herein will be performed by Bill Barrett Corporation and its contractors and subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved. This statement is subject to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1001 for the filing of a false statement.

DATE: September 1, 2008

Reed Haddock Permit Analyst

BBC Representatives:

Reed Haddock Bill Barrett Corporation 1099 18th Street, Suite 2300 Denver, CO 80202

Phone: 303-312-8546 Fax: 303-291-0420

Scot Donato, Environmental Health and Safety; phone: (303) 312-8191 Mike Angus, Area Superintendent; phone: (435) 724-8016

UDWR Representatives:

Ben Williams, UDWR, Wildlife Resources; phone: (435) 781-5357 Bill James, UDWR, Wildlife Resources, Manager; phone: (801) 538-4745

BILL BARRETT CORPORATION #7-16-45 BTR SECTION 16, T4S, R5W, U.S.B.&M.

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TOTAL DISTANCE FROM DUCHESNE, UTAH TO THE PROPOSED WELL LOCATION IS APPROXIMATELY 8.35 MILES.

BILL BARRETT CORPORATION

#7-16-45 BTR

LOCATED IN DUCHESNE COUNTY, UTAH SECTION 16, T4S, R5W, U.S.B.&M.



PHOTO: VIEW FROM CORNER #5 TO LOCATION STAKE

CAMERA ANGLE: NORTHEASTERLY

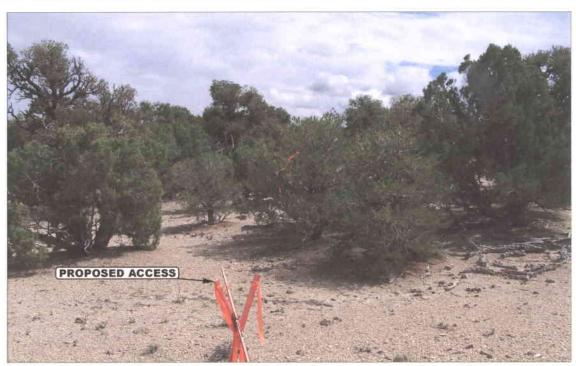
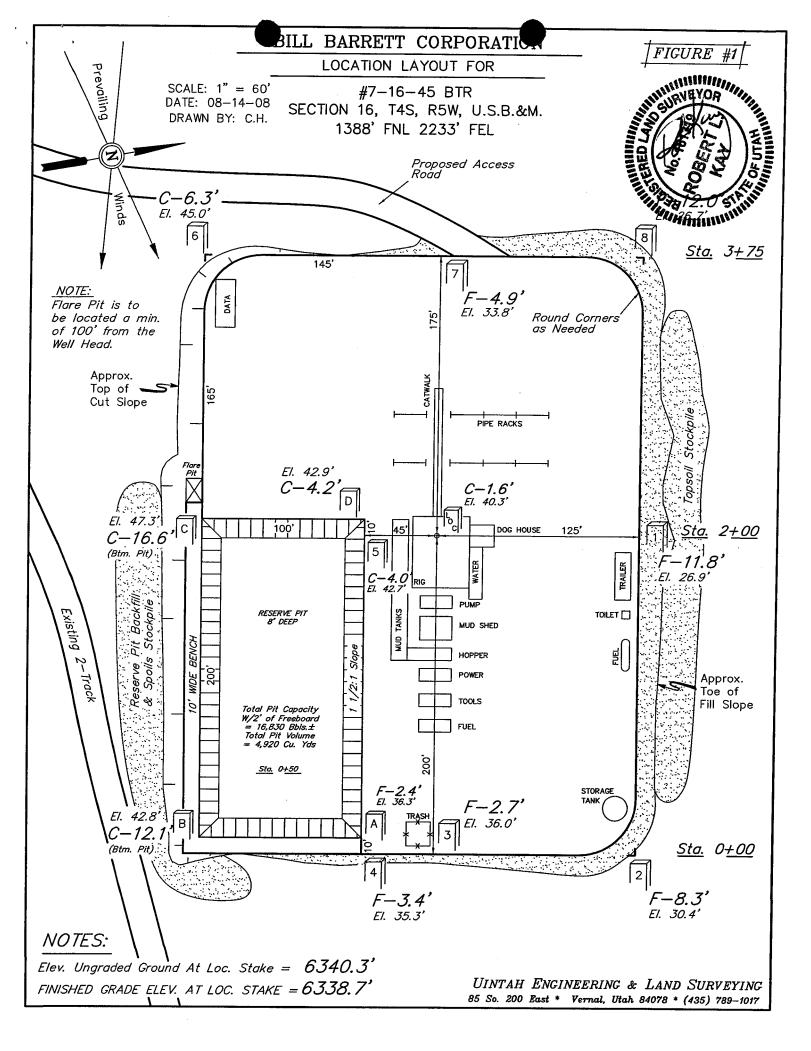


PHOTO: VIEW OF BEGINNING OF PROPOSED ACCESS

CAMERA ANGLE: SOUTHEASTERLY



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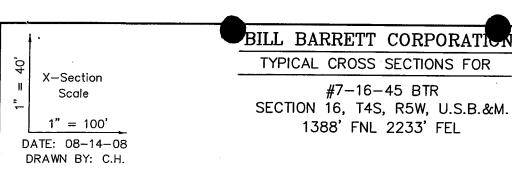
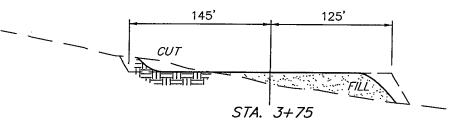
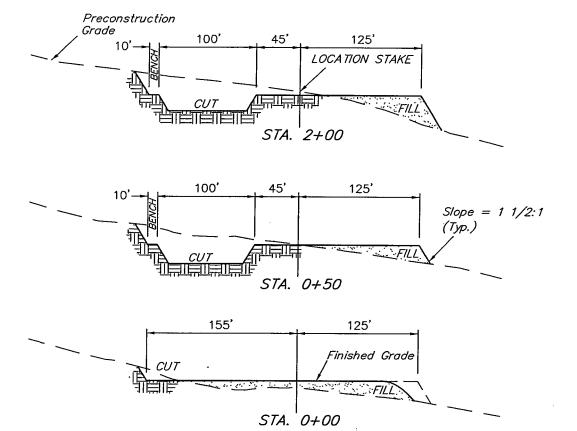


FIGURE #2







APPROXIMATE ACREAGES

NOTE:

WELL SITE DISTURBANCE = ± 3.122 ACRES

ACCESS ROAD DISTURBANCE = ± 3.208 ACRES

PIPELINE DISTURBANCE = ±3.218 ACRES

 $TOTAL = \pm 9.548 ACRES$

* NOTE: FILL QUANTITY INCLUDES 5% FOR COMPACTION

Topsoil should not be

Stripped Below Finished

Grade on Substructure Area.

APPROXIMATE YARDAGES

CUT

(12") Topsoil Stripping = 4,560 Cu. Yds.

Remaining Location = 12,790 Cu. Yds.

TOTAL CUT = 17,350 CU. YDS.

FILL = 10,330 CU. YDS.

EXCESS MATERIAL

= 7,020 Cu. Yds.

Topsoil & Pit Backfill

EXCESS UNBALANCE

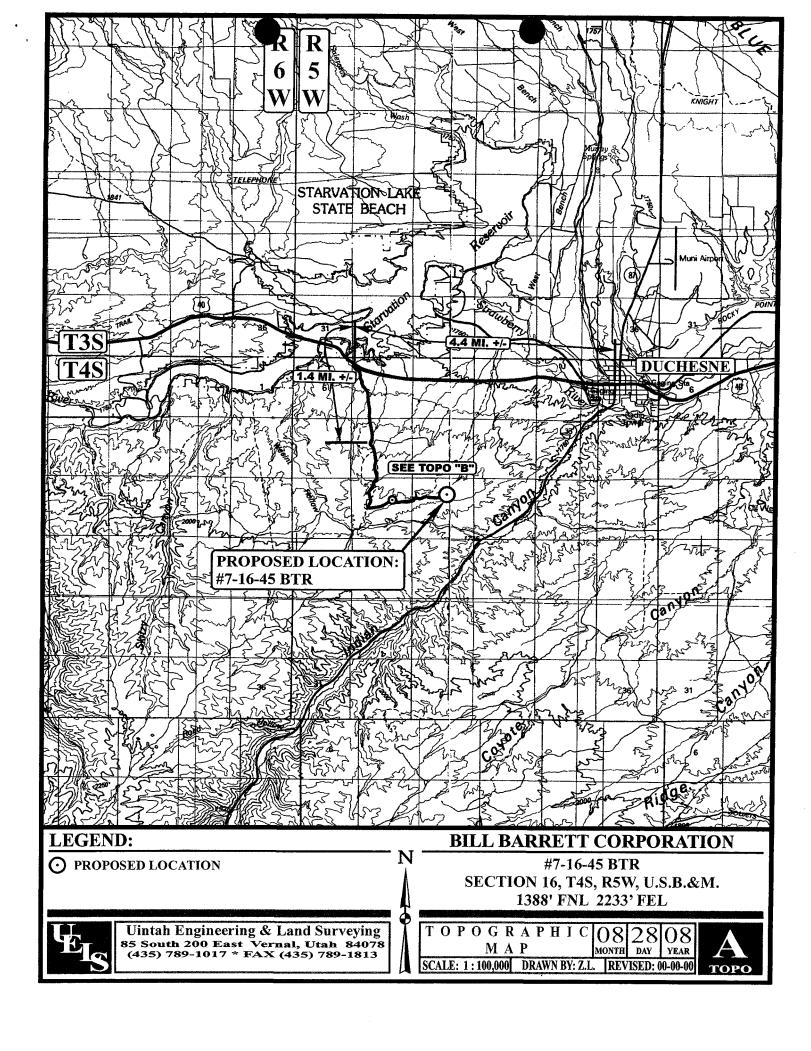
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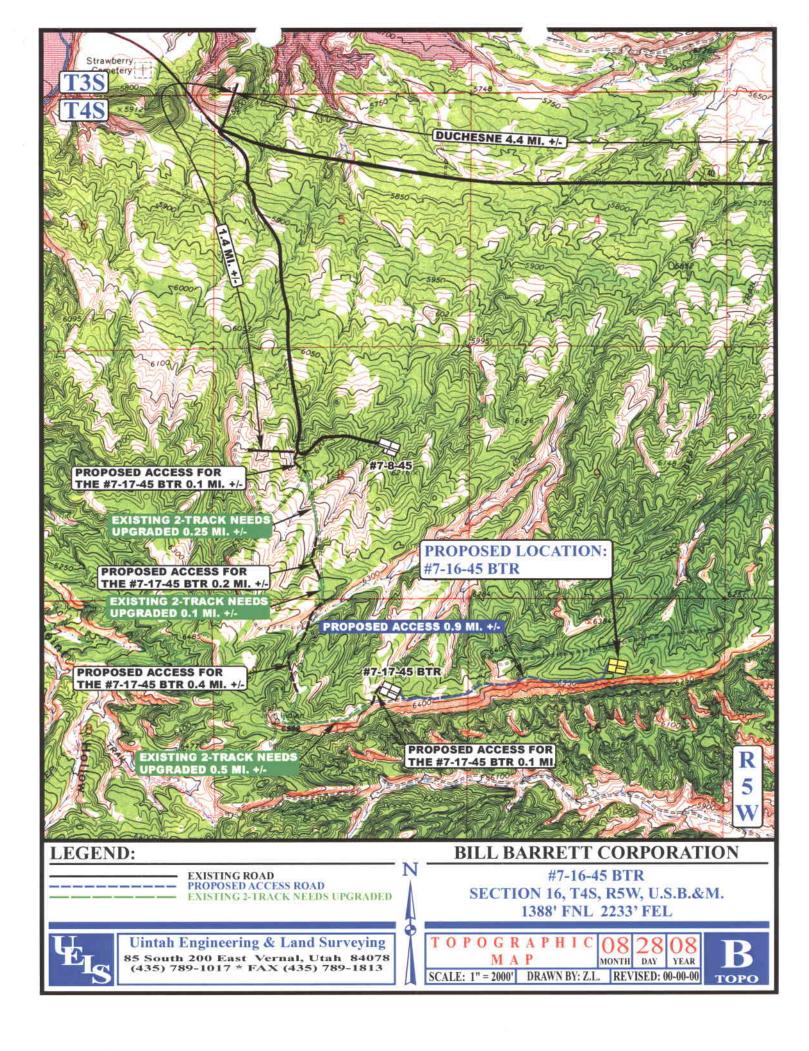
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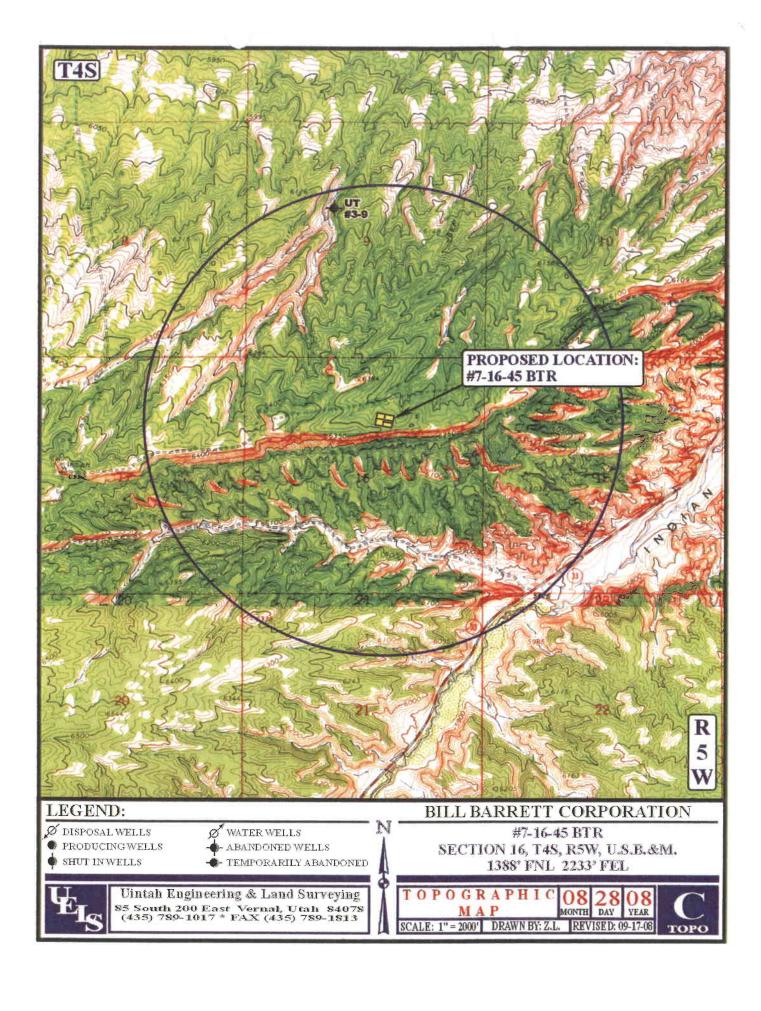
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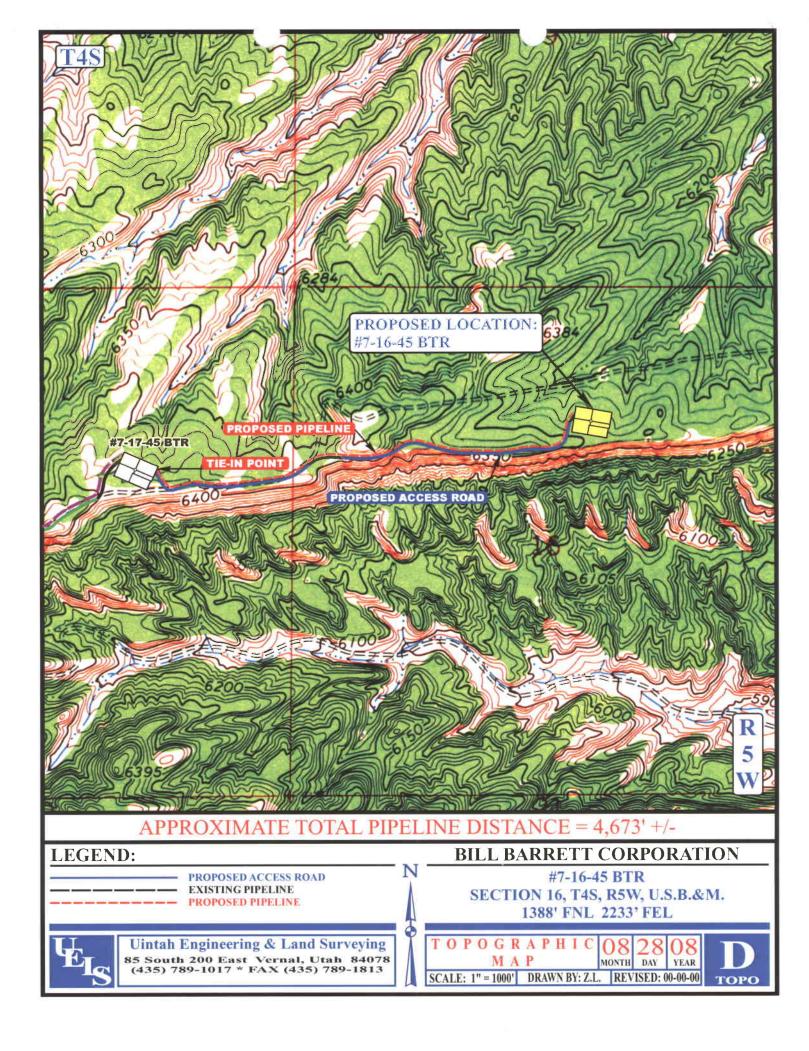
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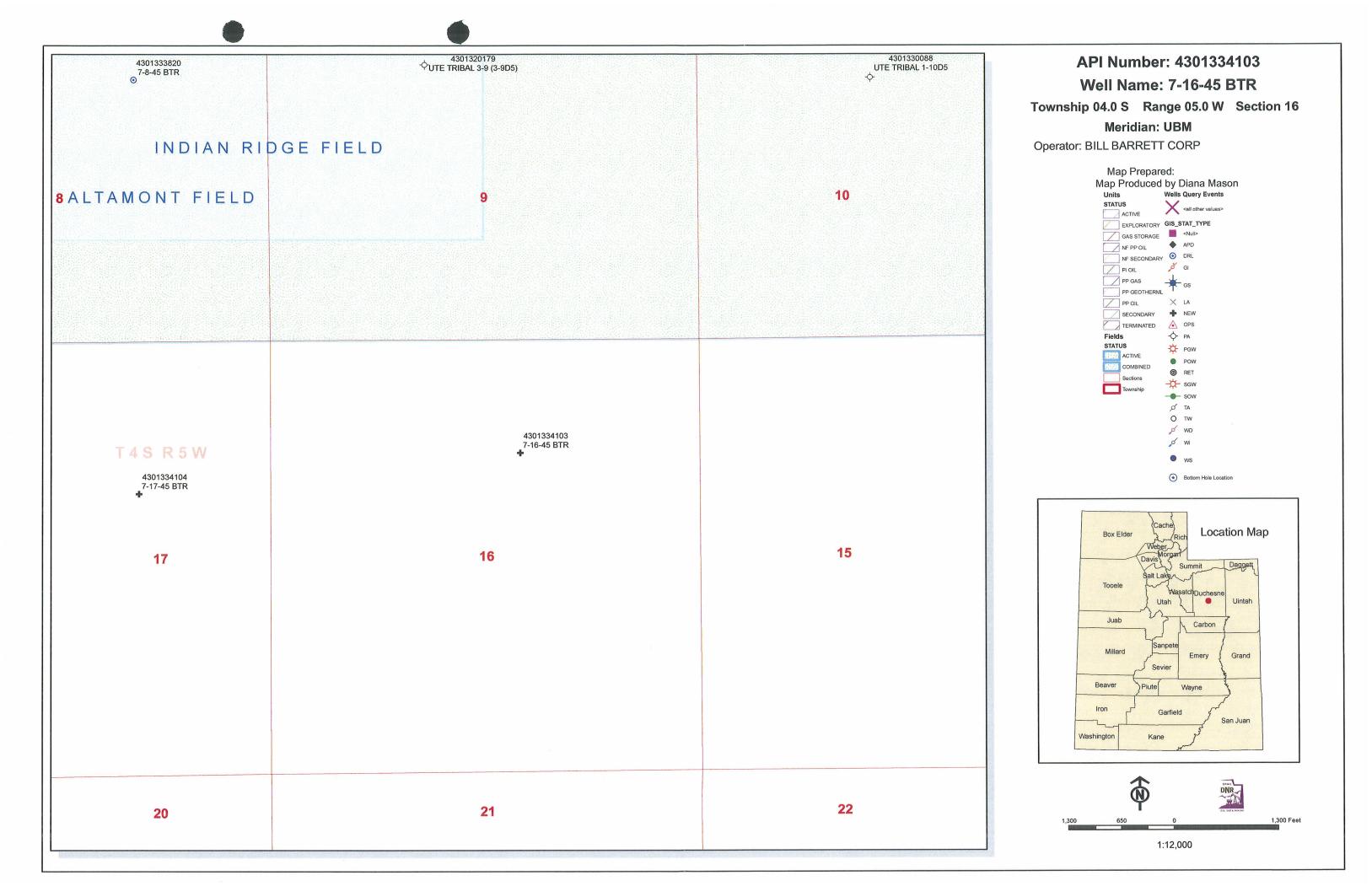








APD RECEIVED: 09/25/2008		API NO. ASSIG	NED: 43-013	-34103	
WELL NAME: 7-16-45 BTR					
OPERATOR: BILL BARRETT CORP (N2165)	PHONE NUMBER:	303-312-8546	5	
CONTACT: REED HADDOCK	-			_	
PROPOSED LOCATION:		INSPECT LOCATN	BY: /	/	
SWNE 16 040S 050W SURFACE: 1388 FNL 2233 FEL		Tech Review	Initials	Date	
BOTTOM: 1388 FNL 2233 FEL		Engineering			
COUNTY: DUCHESNE		Geology			
LATITUDE: 40.13652 LONGITUDE: -110.4531 UTM SURF EASTINGS: 546594 NORTHINGS: 4442	843	Surface			
FIELD NAME: UNDESIGNATED (2)		<u> </u>		
LEASE TYPE: 2 - Indian LEASE NUMBER: 20G0005608 SURFACE OWNER: 2 - Indian		PROPOSED FORMA: COALBED METHANI		2	
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✓ Plat	R	649-2-3.			
Bond: Fed[] Ind[2] Sta[] Fee[]					
(No. WYB000040)	Unit:_				
		R649-3-2. General			
<u>√</u> Oil Shale 190-5 (B) or 190-3 or 190-13	II /	Siting: 460 From Qtr/Qtr & 920' Between Wells			
			9-3-3. Exception		
(No. MUNICIPAL)	Di	rilling Unit			
RDCC Review (Y/N)		Board Cause No:			
		Eff Date:			
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State of Utah DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

MICHAEL R. STYLER Executive Director

Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

JOHN R. BAZA
Division Director

October 1, 2008

Bill Barrett Corporation 1099 18th St., Ste. 2300 Denver, CO 80202

Re:

7-16-45 BTR Well, 1388' FNL, 2233' FEL, SW NE, Sec. 16, T. 4 South, R. 5 West,

Duchesne County, Utah

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to the provisions and requirements of Utah Code Ann.§ 40-6-1 et seq., Utah Administrative Code R649-3-1 et seq., and the attached Conditions of Approval, approval to drill the referenced well is granted.

Appropriate information has been submitted to DOGM and administrative approval of the requested exception location is hereby granted.

This approval shall expire one year from the above date unless substantial and continuous operation is underway, or a request for extension is made prior to the expiration date. The API identification number assigned to this well is 43-013-34103.

Sincerely,

Gil Hunt

Associate Director

pab Enclosures

cc:

Duchesne County Assessor

Bureau of Land Management, Vernal Office



Location: SW NE	Sec. 16	T. <u>4 South</u>	R. <u>5 West</u>
Lease:	2OG0005608		
API Number:	43-013-34103		
Well Name & Number	7-16-45 BTR		·
Operator:	Bill Barrett Corp	oration	

Conditions of Approval

1. General

Compliance with the requirements of Utah Admin. R. 649-1 *et seq.*, the Oil and Gas Conservation General Rules, and the applicable terms and provisions of the approved Application for permit to drill.

2. Notification Requirements

Notify the division within 24 hours of spudding the well.

• Contact Carol Daniels at (801) 538-5284.

Notify the Division prior to commencing operations to plug and abandon the well.

• Contact Dustin Doucet at (801) 538-5281 (801) 733-0983 home

3. Reporting Requirements

All required reports, forms and submittals will be promptly filed with the Division, including but not limited to the Entity Action Form (Form 6), Report of Water Encountered During Drilling (Form 7), Weekly Progress Reports for drilling and completion operations, and Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells requesting approval of change of plans or other operational actions.

- 4. State approval of this well does not supersede the required federal approval, which must be obtained prior to drilling.
- 5. This proposed well is located in an area for which drilling units (well spacing patterns) have not been established through an order of the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining (the "Board"). In order to avoid the possibility of waste or injury to correlative rights, the operator is requested, once the well has been drilled, completed, and has produced, to analyze geological and engineering data generated therefrom, as well as any similar data from surrounding areas if available. As soon as is practicable after completion of its analysis, and if the analysis suggests an area larger than the quarter-quarter section upon which the well is located is being drained, the operator is requested to seek an appropriate order from the Board establishing drilling and spacing units in conformance with such analysis by filing a Request for Agency Action with the Board.

_	STATE OF UTAH		FORM 9
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING			5. LEASE DESIGNATION AND SERIAL NUMBER: BIA-EDA-20G0005608
SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS		6. IF INDIAN, ALLOTTEE OR TRIBE NAME: UTE INDIAN TRIBE	
Do not use this form for proposals to drill no	ew wells, significantly deepen existing wells below current bottom-hole of terals. Use APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL form for such prop-	epth, reenter plugged wells, or to osals.	7. UNIT or CA AGREEMENT NAME: N/A
1. TYPE OF WELL OIL WELL			8. WELL NAME and NUMBER: #7-16-45 BTR
2. NAME OF OPERATOR:			9. API NUMBER:
BILL BARRETT CORPOR	ATION		4301334103
3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR: 1099 18TH Street, Ste 2300 CITY	Denver STATE CO ZIP 80202	PHONE NUMBER: (303) 312-8168	10. FIELD AND POOL, OR WILDCAT: ALTAMONT
4. LOCATION OF WELL	Y STATE ZIP		
FOOTAGES AT SURFACE: 1388'	FNL, 2233' FEL		COUNTY: DUCHESNE
QTR/QTR, SECTION, TOWNSHIP, RANG	GE, MERIDIAN: SWNE 16 T4S R5W		STATE: UTAH
11. CHECK APPE	ROPRIATE BOXES TO INDICATE NATUR	OF NOTICE, REPO	ORT, OR OTHER DATA
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Date of work completion:	COMMINGLE PRODUCING FORMATIONS RECLAM	IATION OF WELL SITE	OTHER: APD EXTENSION
•	CONVERT WELL TYPE RECOM	PLETE - DIFFERENT FORMATION	
BILL BARRETT CORPOR	Approved Utah Divi	EXTENSION ON THE N 10/01/2009. I by the sion of	COPY SENT TO OPERATOR Date: VO v 7 v 2009
NAME (PLEASE PRINT) Matt Barb	ner	Permit Analyst	Initials: <u>VS</u>

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9/25/2009

Application for Permit to Drill Request for Permit Extension Validation

(this form should accompany the Sundry Notice requesting permit extension)

API: 4301334103 Well Name: #7-16-45 BTR Location: 1388' FNL, 2233' FEL, SWNE, Sec. 16, T4S-R5W Company Permit Issued to: Bill Barrett Corporation Date Original Permit Issued: 10/1/2008			
The undersigned as owner with legal rights to drill on the property as permitted above, hereby verifies that the information as submitted in the previously approved application to drill, remains valid and does not require revision.			
Following is a checklist of some items related to the application, which should be verified.			
If located on private land, has the ownership changed, if so, has the surface agreement been updated? Yes ☐ No ☑			
Have any wells been drilled in the vicinity of the proposed well which would affect the spacing or siting requirements for this location? Yes□ No ☑			
Has there been any unit or other agreements put in place that could affect the permitting or operation of this proposed well? Yes□No☑			
Have there been any changes to the access route including ownership, or right-of-way, which could affect the proposed location? Yes□No ☑			
Has the approved source of water for drilling changed? Yes□No☑			
Have there been any physical changes to the surface location or access route which will require a change in plans from what was discussed at the onsite evaluation? Yes□No☑			
Is bonding still in place, which covers this proposed well? Yes ☑ No ☐			
Matt Bd. <u>9/25/2009</u>			
Signature Date			
Title: Permit Analyst			
Representing: Bill Barrett Corporation			

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2. NAME OF OPERATOR: BILL BARRETT CORP			9. API NUMBER: 43013341030000	
3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR: 1099 18th Street Ste 2300 , D		NUMBER: 8164 Ext	9. FIELD and POOL or WILDCAT: UNDESIGNATED	
4. LOCATION OF WELL FOOTAGES AT SURFACE: 1388 FNL 2233 FEL			COUNTY: DUCHESNE	
QTR/QTR, SECTION, TOWNSHI Qtr/Qtr: SWNE Section: 16	IP, RANGE, MERIDIAN: Township: 04.0S Range: 05.0W Meridian: U		STATE: UTAH	
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9/20/2010	☐ CHANGE WELL STATUS	COMMINGLE PRODUCING FORMATIONS	CONVERT WELL TYPE	
SUBSEQUENT REPORT Date of Work Completion:	DEEPEN	FRACTURE TREAT	☐ NEW CONSTRUCTION	
Date of tronk completions	OPERATOR CHANGE	PLUG AND ABANDON	☐ PLUG BACK	
SPUD REPORT	PRODUCTION START OR RESUME	RECLAMATION OF WELL SITE	RECOMPLETE DIFFERENT FORMATION	
Date of Spud:	REPERFORATE CURRENT FORMATION	SIDETRACK TO REPAIR WELL	TEMPORARY ABANDON	
	☐ TUBING REPAIR	VENT OR FLARE	WATER DISPOSAL	
DRILLING REPORT Report Date:	☐ WATER SHUTOFF ☐	SI TA STATUS EXTENSION	✓ APD EXTENSION	
	☐ WILDCAT WELL DETERMINATION ☐	OTHER	OTHER:	
BBC is requesting ar	MPLETED OPERATIONS. Clearly show all pertin n extension of this APD which ex date of expiration. BBC plans to	o drill this well in 2011.		
NAME (PLEASE PRINT) Elaine Winick	PHONE NUMBER 303 293-9100	TITLE Sr. Permit Analyst		
SIGNATURE		DATE 9/20/2010		



The Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining

- State of Utah
- Department of Natural Resources

Electronic Permitting System - Sundry Notices

Request for Permit Extension Validation Well Number 43013341030000

API: 43013341030000 Well Name: 7-16-45 BTR

Location: 1388 FNL 2233 FEL QTR SWNE SEC 16 TWNP 040S RNG 050W MER U

Company Permit Issued to: BILL BARRETT CORP

Date Original Permit Issued: 10/1/2008

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State of Utah DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

MICHAEL R. STYLER Executive Director

Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

JOHN R. BAZA Division Director December 2, 2011

Bill Barrett Corporation 1099 18th Street, Ste. 2300 Denver, CO 80202

Re:

<u>APD Rescinded - 7-16-45 BTR, Sec. 16 T. 4S, R. 5W</u>

Duchesne County, Utah API No. 43-013-34103

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Application for Permit to Drill (APD) for the subject well was approved by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (Division) on October 1, 2008. On September 30, 2009 and September 28, 2010 the Division granted a one-year APD extension. No drilling activity at this location has been reported to the division. Therefore, approval to drill the well is hereby rescinded, effective December 2, 2011.

A new APD must be filed with this office for approval prior to the commencement of any future work on the subject location.

If any previously unreported operations have been performed on this well location, it is imperative that you notify the Division immediately.

Sincerely,

Environmental Scientist

Well File cc:

Bureau of Land Management, Vernal



United States Department of the Interior



BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Green River District-Vernal Field Office 170 South 500 East Vernal, UT 84078 (435) 781-4400 Fax: (435) 781-4410 http://www.blm.gov/ut/st/en/fo/vernal.html



April 20, 2012

IN REPLY REFER TO: 3160 (UTG011)

Venessa Langmacher Senior Permit Analyst Bill Barrett Corporation 1099 18th Street, Suite 2300 Denver, CO 80202

43 013 34103

Re:

Request to Return APD Well No. 7-16-45 BTR SWNE, Sec. 16, T4S, R5W Duchesne County, Utah Lease No. 2OG0005608

Dear Ms. Langmacher:

The Application for Permit to Drill (APD) for the above referenced well received in this office on September 24, 2008, is being returned unapproved per your request to this office in an email message sent to Land Law Examiner Cindy Severson received on April 20, 2012. Your message stated that Bill Barrett Corporation no longer has intentions of drilling this location.

If you have any questions regarding APD processing, please contact Cindy Severson at (435) 781-4455.

Sincerely,

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Jerry Kenczka

DIV OF OIL, GAS, & MINING

Assistant Field Manager Lands & Mineral Resources

Enclosure

CC:

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Ute Tribe